## **Protection From Harm**

## ENSURING THE PROTECTION AND SAFETY OF TENNESSEANS WITH INTELLECTUAL AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

The welfare of Tennesseans with intellectual disabilities is paramount to DIDD and its providers. DIDD fosters respect for the persons it supports, and ensures their safety and protection.

The DIDD Protection from Harm Investigative Unit in the Middle Region conducts internal administrative reviews into allegations of abuse, neglect, exploitation, serious injuries of unknown cause, suspicious injury and unexpected or unexplained deaths.

DIDD and its providers work to achieve healthy, secure and meaningful lives for Tennesseans with intellectual disabilities. Nothing less is expected, nothing less is accepted.

## Middle Tennessee

If you suspect abuse, neglect or exploitation of a person with intellectual disabilities, contact the Department of Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities Investigative Unit.

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